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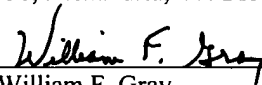
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Sir:

This is in response to the Official Action dated 09/28/2004. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 42 of this paper.